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In re Patent Application of:
Hiroyuki Tsuda

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For: OPTICAL FUNCTIONAL WAVEGUIDE,
OPTICAL MODULATOR, ARRAYED
WAVEGUIDE GRATING, AND
DISPERSION COMPENSATION CIRCUIT

Examiner: H. Q. Lam

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir/Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated April 2, 2009, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.